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Applicants : William K. Slate II, et al.

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Confirmation No. : 3669

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FOR : ELECTRONIC SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR

DISPUTE MANAGEMENT

Art Unit : 3621

Examiner : Evens J. Augustin

New York, New York 10020 September 14, 2006

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [] a Preliminary Amendment; [] Letter to Official Draftsperson; [X] a Reply To Office Action; [] Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; [] a Declaration; [] a Power of Attorney; [] a Submission of Formal Drawings; [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above identified patent application.

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- [] A fee for additional claims is required.

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- Transmittal Letter (3 pp. in duplicate);
- 2. Reply To Office Action (2 pp.);
- 3. Petition For Extension Of Time Pursuant To 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(2 pp.); and
- 4. Return postcard.